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THE CASE OF THE *DUTCTH* and *FRENCH* Proteſtant Churches in *ENGLAND*, Since King *Edward* the Sixth, &c.

THAT they were firſt Allowed and Eſtabliſhed, in the Reign of King *Edward* the Sixth, and afterwards, in the Reign of Queen *Elizabeth*, and have now continued in this Nation for above 160 Years.

That thoſe Churches were, and are compoſed of ſuch Perſons, who themſelves, and their Anceſtors, fled out of the *Netherlands*, *France*, or other Parts beyond the Sea, from *Popiſh Perſecution*.

That they have introduced into this Realm, ſeveral very Great and Profitable Manufactures.

That they have always continued very Dutiful and Loyal to the Crown and Government.

That in the Act of Uniformity, made in the 13*th* and 14*th* Years of King *Charles* the Second, there is Proviſion made, and a Clauſe inſerted, in Favour of the ſaid Churches.

That by the Bill Depending (for preſerving the Proteſtant Religion, by better ſecuring the Church of *England*) thoſe that ſhall be preſent at the Publick Worſhip of the ſaid *Dutch* and *French* Churches, may be liable to the Incapacities in the ſaid Bill mentioned, unleſs a Clauſe be inſerted for their Exemption.

Wherefore it is humbly hoped, That a Proviſo *or* Clauſe *may be added for that purpoſe; they performing their Exerciſe in the* Dutch *and* French *Languages.*

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